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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	3:73-cv-00127-MMD-CSD
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Plaintiff,	)	
	)	<b>REPORT OF PRINCIPAL</b>
WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE,	)	<b>DEFENDANTS CONCERNING</b>
	)	<b>STATUS OF ACCESS TO</b>
Plaintiff-Intervenor,	)	<b>ARCHIVE/RECORDS OFFICES</b>
	)	
v.	)	
	)	
WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION	)	
DISTRICT, a corporation, et al.,	)	
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Defendants.	)	
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Pursuant to paragraph 3 of the Order Amending Order Regarding Discovery and Motion Schedule As Previously Amended (ECF 2676), the Walker River Irrigation District, Nevada Department of Wildlife, Lyon County, Centennial Livestock and Mono County, Desert Pearl Farms, LLC, Peri Family Ranch, LLC, Peri & Peri, LLC and Frade Ranches, Inc., and the California State Agencies (California State Water Resources Control Board, California Department of Fish and Wildlife, and California Department of Parks and Recreation) (herein, the “Principal Defendants”), report to the Court and the parties on the status, as of March 1, 2022, of the Archive/Records Offices as defined in said Order.

On or about October 18, 2021, the National Archives provided the following COVID-19 update:

On October 18, we began to recall more staff to our facilities. The number of staff depends on the transmission level (substantial, moderate, or low) in the county in which the facility is located.

With respect to research rooms, the following was stated: “as local public health metrics allow, National Archives research rooms will open on a limited basis and by appointment only.” In addition, a virtual reference consultation is required by phone, video, or email prior to any scheduled appointment. Researchers are directed to check the “facility page” for details and updates with respect to specific facilities because the “situation can change based on local health conditions.”

As of March 1, 2022, the following information appears on the website for the listed facilities with respect to their research rooms:

1. National Archives, Washington D.C. is open on a limited basis by appointment only and requires a virtual consultation prior to an onsite visit;

2. National Archives, College Park, MD. is open on a limited basis by appointment only; requires a virtual consultation prior to an onsite visit;

3. National Archives, San Bruno (San Francisco) is still closed as of March 1, 2022 due to an increase in Covid-19 cases in San Mateo County;

4. National Archives, Riverside is still closed as of March 1, 2022 due to an increase in COVID-19 cases in Riverside County; and

5. National Archives, Seattle is still closed as of March 1, 2022 due to an increase in COVID-19 cases in King County, Washington.

As of March 1, 2022, the Nevada State Archives continues to be open with limited hours from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM on business days. As of March 1, 2022, the California State Archives are open with limited capacity; and the Water Resource Center Archives at the University of California is open to the public.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that I am an employee of Woodburn and Wedge and that on March 1, 2022, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to the parties of record.

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